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Dear Cousin Jim,

How are you feeling? I hope this letter finds you back to normal.

Two weeks ago, I wrote Mrs. Rhuie Hollens, 1258 Bald Mountain Rd, Lake Orion MI, 48360, in response to her ad last December in the HERITAGE QUEST Magazine (see copy enclosed). She is researching Myers and Pool in Lauderdale Co, MS. I am enclosing a copy of the data that she sent, because it is part of the same Pool family as my cousin, Bill Trussell. This Pool line is not hers, but is that of Vernon Teaff, 19 Shalomar Cir, Russellville, AR 72801. I wrote Mrs. Hollens and recommended that she write the LCDA&H, before receiving your latest newsletter stating your new policy on queries without SASEs. I will write her and tell her, but she may have already written you. I hope that you have some of the info that she needs.

Jim, I was really impressed with your latest book list. Unfortunately, I am hopelessly behind in buying more books, but I have a problem, I can't tell the old books from the new. Is it possible to put the year published after each book on you next list?

Well by now you have received my 3rd issue of PILGRIMS' PROGRESS. Each issue gets easier to put out. The first took about 3 months, the second about 3 weeks, and the third about a week. I have the forth typed, but will wait for new input and revise before mailing in October. I have lots of "Lessons Learned". It will be very easy to start my next one (DOWNEY DATA or RADFORD RAMBLIN'S) I can use the same filler data on any or all of them. My biggest problem is circulation. I need about 30 subscribers to break even. Since I have only 12 for the PILGRIM publication, I will wait until I get close to 30 before starting my next one. Since both the Downeys and Radfords were and are still in Lauderdale Co, I could use some help building a list of potential subscribers from your files and phone book.

Keep in touch.

Your Cousin,

*Rod*  
Rod Bush

*Make up Pool family file  
or add this to a present one  
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Mrs. Rhuie Hollens  
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July 5, 1993

Dear Mrs. Hollens,

I just read your Query in an old Issue (Nov/Dec'92) of HERITAGE QUEST, concerning Julia Ann Pool b. 26 Jun 1849 \_\_, m. Alexander Myers, and buried in Pine Grove Cem, Lauderdale Co, MS.

As another researcher trying to get data from Lauderdale Co. from many hundreds of miles away, I feel an automatic kinship. My last trip back to that Co. (where my mother and her father were born) was 1977. But since then, my cousin, Jim Dawson, helped set up the Lauderdale Co. Dept. of Archives & History, P.O. Box 5511, Meridian, MS 39302-5511. If you write them, they may be able to help you. They have a newsletter, for a small fee, and produce a large, free list of books of County records, that they have published and offered for sale at reasonable prices.

I have another cousin, William D. Trussell, of Topeka, KS (who moved a few years ago and didn't give me his new address) who was also b. in Lauderdale Co. His great grandfather, J. D. Trussell (1854-1922) m. (in Lauderdale Co.) Lucinda E. Pool b. 10 Oct 1851, daughter of John Daniel Pool, Sr. and \_\_\_\_\_ Edwards, daughter of Jacob Edwards and Adaline Nacy Rasberry (I have 3 more generations of Edwards back to a Revolutionary War soldier.) Somewhere, I have some Census data on the Pools. Could this be your line? Would you like a copy of this data? If so, please send me your Pool data for my file.

I hope to hear from you, soon.

Yours Truly,

Rod Bush

12 July, 1993

Dear Rod:

Thanks for your letter of 8 July.

I am particularly interested in finding out more about my  
Myers family. Will write to Lauderdale, Ms.

Enclosed are some Pool sheets sent to me as results of the Query  
in the nov./Dec. Heritage Quest. I do not have any ~~sue~~ for them.  
Perhaps they can help you in some way.

Sincerely,

Rhuie Hollens

Mrs. Rhuie A. Hollens

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## PEDIGREE CHART No. \_\_\_\_\_

1 on this CHART is the same  
as No. \_\_\_\_\_ on CHART No. \_\_\_\_\_

Henry Bolin  
TEAFF

2 BORN 18 Jun 1883  
PLACE Troy, Bell Co., TX.  
DIED 2 Sep 1973  
PLACE Amherst, Lamb Co., TX.  
MARR 18 Dec 1904  
PLACE Capps, Taylor Co., TX

1 Vernon Loyd  
TEAFF

BORN 8 Apr 1927  
PLACE Weinert, Haskell Co., TX.  
DIED  
PLACE  
ARR 8 Oct 1947  
PLACE Goree, Knox Co., TX.

Virginia Lucil

BUTLER

NAME of SPOUSE

Mattie Dora  
FRAZIER

3 BORN 3 Jan 1888  
PLACE Buckholts, Milam Co., TX.  
DIED 2 Aug 1972  
PLACE Amherst, Lamb Co., TX.

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Nimrod Bartley  
TEAFF

4 BORN 26 Nov 1855  
PLACE Pyatt, Marion Co., AR.  
DIED 17 Dec 1940  
PLACE Tye, Taylor Co., TX.  
MARR 23 Nov 1879  
PLACE Bell Co., TX.

Georgia Ann  
ISOM

5 BORN 15 Oct 1862  
PLACE Leesburg, Chrke, AL.  
DIED 1 Jun 1932  
PLACE Tye, Taylor Co., TX.

John Robert  
FRAZIER

6 BORN 7 Dec 1848  
PLACE Perry Co., AL.  
DIED 23 May 1931  
PLACE Rochester, Haskl, TX.  
MARR 9 Jan 1870  
PLACE Perry Co., AL.

Martha Caroline  
POOL

7 BORN 28 Aug 1851  
PLACE Morgan Springs, Perry, AL  
DIED 27 Jun 1932  
PLACE Rochester, Haskl, TX.

John Henry  
TEAFF

8 BORN 16 Feb 1835  
PLACE Pyatt, Marion Co., AR.  
DIED 23 Mar 1863  
PLACE Civil War, L.R., AR.  
MARR 19 Nov 1854

Elizabeth Ann  
MILUM

9 BORN 19 Aug 1836  
PLACE Hickman Co., TN.  
DIED 20 Nov 1901  
PLACE Tye, Taylor Co., TX.

Bolin  
ISOM

10 BORN 1832  
PLACE Tennessee,,  
DIED 1873  
PLACE Bell Co., TX.  
MARR

Mary  
GILBERT

11 BORN 20 Jun 1837  
PLACE Alabama,,  
DIED 23 Jun 1899  
PLACE Troy, Bell Co., TX

John  
FRAZIER JR.

12 BORN 18 Dec 1811  
PLACE South Carolina,,  
DIED 15 Apr 1912  
PLACE Hale Co., AL  
MARR 22 Nov 1836

Malinda  
POOL

13 BORN 9 Nov 1819  
PLACE Tennessee,,  
DIED 7 Jun 1885  
PLACE Hale Co., AL

Gabriel  
POOL

14 BORN 31 Aug 1812  
PLACE Edgefield Dist., SC  
DIED 2 May 1905  
PLACE Cameron, Milam Co., TX.  
MARR 3 Jul 1834

Alpha  
RUSSELL

15 BORN 1 Aug 1817  
PLACE Russell Ridge, MS, Terr  
DIED 15 Jul 1909  
PLACE Buckholts, Milam Co., TX.

Nimrod Moore

TEAFF

1803

16 CONTINUED ON CHART

Nancy B.

MAGNESS

1814

17 CONTINUED ON CHART

Henry

MILUM

1812

18 CONTINUED ON CHART

Susannah

CAMPBELL

1813

19 CONTINUED ON CHART

William

ISOM

1810

20 CONTINUED ON CHART

Sarah

ISOM

1812

21 CONTINUED ON CHART

John

GILBERT

1802

22 CONTINUED ON CHART

Elizabeth

GILBERT

1807

23 CONTINUED ON CHART

John

FRAZIER SR.

24 CONTINUED ON CHART

Elizabeth

FRAZIER

1785

25 CONTINUED ON CHART

James Holloway

POOL

1789

26 CONTINUED ON CHART

Mary

ROWE

1790

27 CONTINUED ON CHART

William

POOL

1785

28 CONTINUED ON CHART

Elizabeth

JONES

1787

29 CONTINUED ON CHART

Andrew M

RUSSELL

1786

30 CONTINUED ON CHART

Mary Polly (Stuart)

STEWART

1792

31 CONTINUED ON CHART

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GABRIEL POOL  
31 August 1812--2 May 1905

Had lived to be 92 years of age with many descendants. Cameron, Texas. May 8- (8 May 1905) GABRIEL POOL 92, died at his home last night in Corinth community, about twelve miles west of here. Had he lived till the 31st of August he would have been 93 years old. He was born in Edgefield. S.C. August 31, 1812, and at the age of 8 years he moved to Perry Co. Alabama on the 3rd of July 1834 he was married to Miss Alpha Russell, who was five years his junior, and she survives him. In 1870 he moved to Texas and has since been a citizen of Milam County. There were twelve children born to this couple, six boys and six girls, eight of whom survive their father. The oldest child is more than 67 years old. Deceased left surviving him forty-one grand children, sixty three great grand children and two great great grand children, a total of 114. There have been of his family, including his children and their children, only seven deaths among the adults and seventeen infants in seventy years. Mr Pool has been a consistent member of the Methodist Church and universally regarded as a good man by all who knew him. He was also a Mason and a number of that order left here this morning to participate in the burial of one of their brethren. The funeral was conducted at Corinth Church and burial at that cemetery. A large concourse of people attended many going from Cameron. Perhaps he and his wife lived together longer than any other couple in Texas, and his leaving his aged companion is one of the sad features of death of the good old man. (died May 2 1905 buried Corinth cemetery) (copied from newspaper clipping)

GABRIEL POOL was born in South Carolina Aug. 31, 1812, and with his parents he moved to Perry County, Alabama, in 1824, at which place on July 3, 1834, he was married to Miss Alpha Russell, and at old Mt. Hermon Church in 1839 he was converted and joined the M. E. Church, of which he was an exemplary member to the day of his death. In 1870 he came to Texas, arriving in Milam County Dec. 24. Here he lived until God called him home to heaven May 2, 1905. He served the Church faithfully as steward, trustee and Sunday-school Superintendent; in fact, doing anything the Church called upon him to do. He was the father of twelve children., Two died in the faith after they were grown. The remaining ten are all Christians-- nine Methodists and one Baptist. The companion of his life still remains, and though 88 years old Aug. 1, she is strong in body, mind and faith. Bro. Pool was a Christian man in the strictest sense of the word. It was a blessing to me as his pastor to visit him. May God bless and keep his aged wife. H.G.WILLIAMS, P.C. (newspaper clipping)

son of William and  
Elizabeth (JONES) POOL

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1850 Census Lauderdale Co. MS.

House # 904

John POOL	40	SC.
Adaline (RASBERRY)	35	GA.
Wm. C.	16	AL.
Isaac M.	12	AL.
Elizabeth	11	AL.
James R.	6	AL.
Susan	4	AL.
Julia Ann	2	AL.

1860 Census Lauderdale Co. MS

House # 750 Daleville P.O.

John POOL	49	SC.
Adaline	45	GA.
Elizabeth	19	AL.
James R.	15	AL.
Susan	13	AL.
Julia A.	11	AL.
Lucinda	9	MS.
John	4	MS.
Sarah A.M.	4	MS.

Stephen Sparks Pool  
Census Records

1850 Census Perry Co. AL  
Stephen S. Pool 30 AL  
Lucinda 22 AL  
Elizabeth L. 5 AL  
Susannah A. 3 AL

1860 Census Perry Co. AL  
Stephen F. Pool 36 AL  
Lucinda 32 AL  
Elizabeth 14 AL  
Laura 12 AL  
William 9 AL  
Alice 5 AL  
Joseph 2 AL  
Monroe 12m AL

1870 Census Bibb Co. AL  
James Beat, P. 4, #33  
Stephen Pool 44 AL  
Lucinda 43 AL  
Mary 23 AL  
Alice 14 AL  
James 10 AL  
John 7 AL  
Stephen 4 AL  
Richard 1 AL

1880 Census Bibb Co. AL  
# 307  
Stephen S. Pool 58 AL  
Lucinda 52 AL  
Mary Elizabeth 34 AL  
James Monroe 20 AL  
John Thomas M. 17 AL  
Stephen Price 13 AL  
Richard Thomas 11 AL

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From Perry County Alabama records.  
Book is in Library at Little Rock Arkansas

FRAZIER, JOHN to MALINDA POOL  
15 November 1836 (This is date license was issued. V.T.)

Census of 1850- Perry Co.-Brush Creek Beat # 7  
FRAZIER, JOHN age 40 born S.C. Farmer \$400  
MALINDA 30 Tenn.  
WM. H. 12 Ala.  
MARY E. 10 "  
JAS. N. 7 "  
ELIZA J. 5 "  
JOHN R. 1 "

(MALINDA was Daughter of JAMES HOLLIWAY POOLE & Wife MARY ROWE; Granddaughter of JOHN & MAHULDIA POOLE & of BENJ. & RUTH (O'NEAL) ROWE.)

NERTZ?, WILLIAM to ELIZABETH FRAZIER (could be Mertz)  
2 January 1836 (return dated 3rd) by GEORGE K. CHATHAM, J.P.

Census of 1840-Perry Co.  
WILLIAM NERTZ: 1 male 30-40; 1 female 10-15; 1 female 20-30.

Few houses away:  
JOHN FRAZIER SR.: 1 MALE 40-50 & Family; & JESSE FRAZIER: 1 male 40-50 & Family.

The following is from another record.  
McKEE, WM. to MARY A. FRAZIER

19 Jany 1837  
Census of 1840 -Perry Co.  
WM. McKEE JR.: 1 MALE 20-30; 1 FAMALE 20-30.

Next door:  
JOHN FRAZIER SR.: 1 MALE 40-50; 2 FEMALES 5-10; 1 FEMALE 15-20; 1 FEMALE 20-23; 1 FEMALE 40-50.

Next door on other side:  
JESSE FRAZIER: 1 male 40-50; 1 female 50-60

Found the following in SC records.

FRAZIER FAMILY. Wanted by Mrs. Sallie Strother Hollingsworth, genealogist, Edgefield, SC Sept. 7, 1939  
"One John Frazar of Edgefield, South Carolina had sons John and Jesse and a daughter Nancy who married Mr. Murff; went to Alabama early before she became a state. Jesse or Johns' wife was Elizabeth. The Murffs went to Texas where they died. The Frazars remained in Alabama. Descendents now live in Mississippi. May have settled first in Perry County, Ala. One James said to have been grandfather of John, Jesse, and

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1850 Census Perry Co. AL.			1850 Census Perry Co. AL.		
Brush Creek Beat #7 (cousins)			Brush creek Beat # 42		
<u>John FRAZIER</u>	40	SC.	<u>Gabriel POOL</u>	38	SC.
<u>Malinda (POOL)</u>	30	TN.	<u>Appha (RUSSELL)</u>	33	AL.
Wm. H.	12	AL.	Wm. M.	15	AL.
Mary E.	10	AL.	Louisa	12	AL.
Jas. M.	7	AL.	Mary E.	10	AL.
Eliza. J.	5	AL.	Rosannah	8	AL.
<u>John R.</u>	1	AL.	Andrew M.	6	AL.
			Margaret E.	4	AL.
			Sarah A.	1	AL.
1860 Census Perry Co. AL.			1860 Census Perry Co. AL.		
Page 542 Polecat Beat			Page 538 Brush Creek Beat		
<u>John FRAZIER</u>	50	SC.	#222 Morgan Springs,	AL.	
<u>Malinda (POOL)</u>	40	TN.	<u>Gabriel POOL</u>	47	SC.
Wm. H. (Henry)	22	AL.	<u>Alpha (RUSSELL)</u>	42	AL.
James (Mitchell)	17	AL.	M.E. (Mary Eliz)	20	AL.
Eliza (Jane)	14	AL.	Rosana	18	AL.
<u>Robert (John R.)</u>	11	AL.	Irena (Margaret)	14	AL.
Susan (Pamelia)	7	AL.	A. M. (Andrew M.)	16	AL.
Jessie (Lafayette)	4	AL.	S. A. (Sarah A.)	12	AL.
Sam T. (Sidney)	1m	AL.	<u>M. C. (Martha C.)</u>	10	AL.
Mary Pool	69	SC.wife mo)	T. F. (Thomas F.)	8	AL.
Elizabeth Frazier	75	SC.husb mo)	J. R. (John R.)	6	AL.
			J. L. (Gabriel L.)	1	AL.
1870 Census Perry Co. AL.			1870 Census Perry Co. AL.		
June 30 Page 363B Marion AL.			July 2 Page 372		
<u>John FRAZIER</u>	57	AL.	<u>Gabriel POOL</u>	58	SC.
<u>Malinda (POOL)</u>	50	NC.	<u>Alfa (RUSSELL)</u>	53	AL.
Mary	50	NC.	Sarah	20	AL.
Jessie	14	AL.	Thomas	16	AL.
Sidney	10	AL.	John	14	AL.
			Gabriel	12	AL.
1900 Census Milam Co. TX.			Robert	7	AL.
June 12. 1900 Page 62 A.			Sarah	2	AL.
Thomas Pool	Feb.1854	46 AL.	1880 Census Milam Co. Texas		
Missouri A.	Oct.1866	33 AL.	Dist. 106 June 9 Page	342 C	
Nora B.	Jan.1893	7 TX.	<u>Gabriel POOL</u>	68	SC.
Thomas A.	May.1894	6 TX.	<u>Alpha (RUSSELL)</u>	63	AL.
Zora M. (dau)	Jul.1896	4 TX.	Thomas F.	25	AL.
Attie C.(dau)	Nov.1897	3 TX.	Robert F.	18	AL.
<u>Gabriel (Fat)</u>	Aug.1812	87 SC.	John R.	25	AL.
<u>Alpha (Mot)</u>	Aug 1817	82 AL.			
1850 Census Perry Co. AL.			1860 Census Perry Co. AL.		
<u>Mary RUSSELL</u>	58	SC.	June 15 1860		
John	28	AL.	<u>Mary RUSSELL</u>	68	NC.
Irena	24	AL.	Orlena	23	AL.
Cyrus	21	AL.	John Fisher GrSon.	17	AL.
Margaret	20	AL.			
Wm.	18	AL.			
James L.	16	AL.			
Orlena	13	AL.			
<u>Jane Pearce(GrDau)</u>	7	AL.			
<u>Mary (STEWART) RUSSELL was Alpha POOL's mother.</u>			<u>M.J. Pearce GrDau.</u>	16	AL.